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IN THE APPLICATION OF:

SURINDER MEHTA MAINI

CASE NO.: HT3765USNA

SERIAL NO.: 09/780,632

GROUP ART UNIT: 1771

FILED: FEBRUARY 09, 2001

EXAMINER: JENNIFER A. BOYD

FOR: IMPROVED PROTECTIVE APPAREL FABRIC AND GARMENT

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Introductory Comments

This is in response to the non-final Office Action, dated January 11, 2006. A petition for a one-month extension of time is filed concurrently. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and submits the following in support thereof.